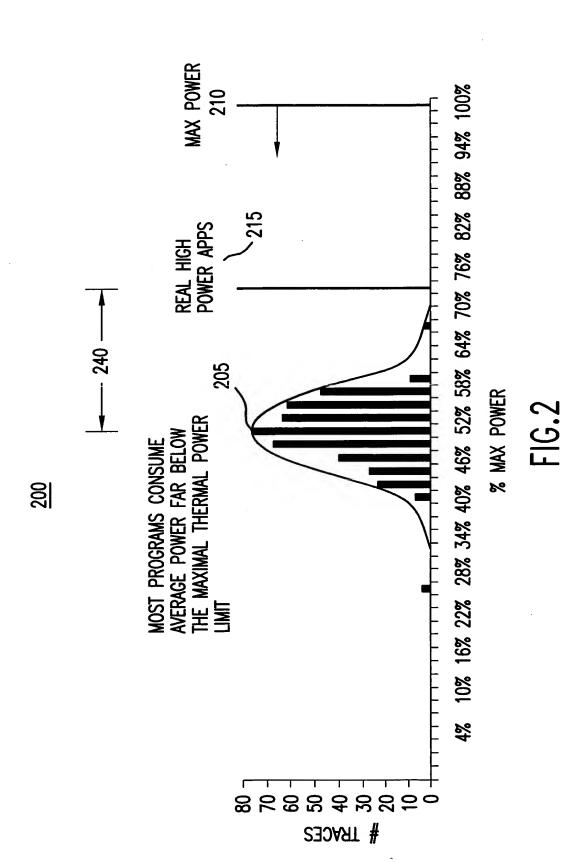


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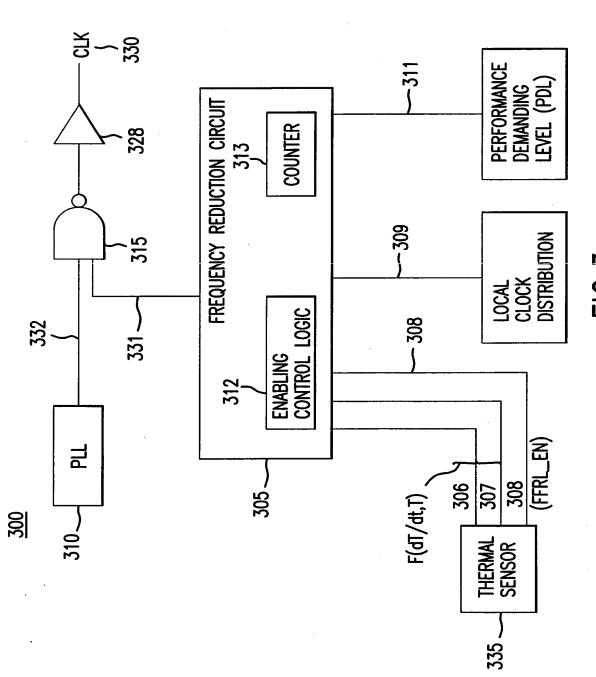
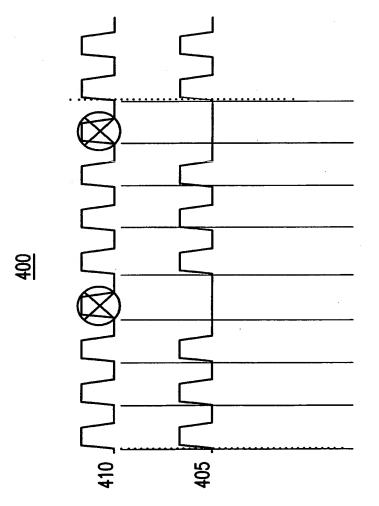


FIG.3



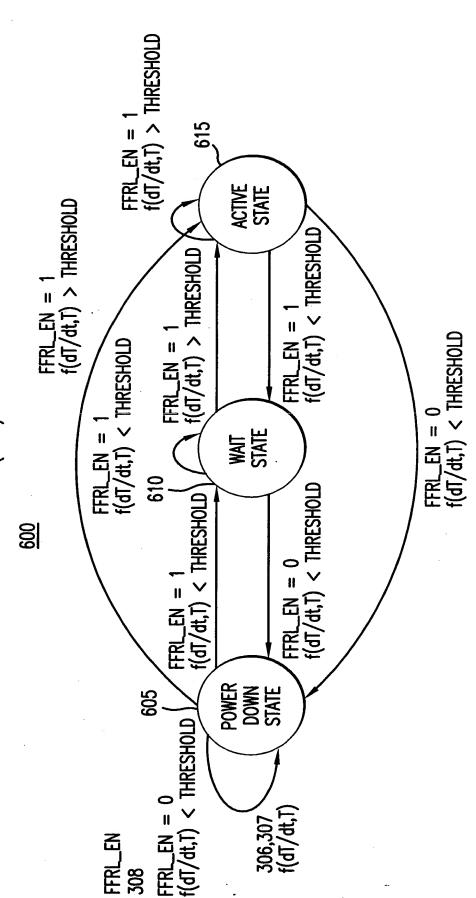
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FFRLEN	dT/dt	THERMAL TEMPERATURE	CURRENT LOGIC STATE	PREV. LOGIC STATE
O (NOT NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	NOT CARE	NOT CARE	POWER DOWN	POWER DOWN
O (NOT NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	NOT CARE	NOT CARE	POWER DOWN	WAIT
0 (NOT NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	NOT CARE	NOT CARE	POWER DOWN	ACTIVE
1 (NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	<0.2 (SLOW RATE)	<max. td="" temperatureôt<=""><td>POWER DOWN</td><td>POWER DOWN</td></max.>	POWER DOWN	POWER DOWN
1 (NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	>0.2 (SLOW RATE)	<max. td="" temperature-ôt<=""><td>WAIT</td><td>POWER DOWN</td></max.>	WAIT	POWER DOWN
1 (NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	<0.2 (SLOW RATE)	<max. td="" temperatureôt<=""><td>POWER DOWN</td><td>WAIT</td></max.>	POWER DOWN	WAIT
1 (NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	>0.2 (SLOW RATE)	<a>AMAX. TEMPERATUREôt	WAIT	WAIT
1- (NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	NOT CARE	>MAX. TEMPERATUREôt	ACTIVE	POWER DOWN
1 (NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	NOT CARE	>MAX. TEMPERATUREôt	ACTIVE	WAIT
1 (NEAR MAXIMAL THERMAL LIMIT)	NOT CARE	>MAX. TEMPERATUREôt	ACTIVE	ACTIVE

FIG. 5

LOGIC STATES DIAGRAM OF FAST FREQUENCY REDUCTION LOGIC (FFRL)



FFRL_EN: FAST FREQUENCY REDUCTION LOGIC ENABLE SIGNAL; THRESHOLD: LOGIC STATE TRANSITE THRESHOLD; dT/dt: TEMPERATURE CHANGING RATE; T: THERMAL TEMPERATURE; f(dT/dt,T): FUNCTION OF dT/dt AND T